

BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI
(END SEMESTER EXAMINATION)

CLASS: IMSC
BRANCH: CHEMISTRY

SEMESTER : VII
SESSION : MO/19

SUBJECT: SAC1001 ADVANCED PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY

TIME: 03 hrs

FULL MARKS: 60

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The question paper contains 7 questions each of 12 marks and total 84 marks.
 2. Candidates may attempt any 5 questions maximum of 60 marks.
 3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
 4. Before attempting the question paper, be sure that you have got the correct question paper.
 5. Tables/Data hand book/Graph paper etc. to be supplied to the candidates in the examination hall.
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- Q.1(a) Discuss the kinetics of parallel reactions with examples. [6]
Q.1(b) Discuss the general features of fast reactions. How will you determine the kinetics of fast reactions by stopped-flow method? [6]
- Q.2(a) What is Langmuir adsorption theorem? Derive the Langmuir adsorption equation. [6]
Q.2(b) Discuss the theory BET adsorption isotherm along with its applications. [6]
- Q.3(a) Give an account of the Debye-Huckel theory of strong electrolytes. Explain clearly what is meant by asymmetry and electrophoretic effect? [6]
Q.3(b) Write down the Debye-Huckel-Onsager equation. What is Debye-Fulkenhagen effect? [6]
- Q.4(a) What do you mean by electrified interface? Discuss about the different model of electrical double layers. [6]
Q.4(b) Derive the polarographic equation for half-wave potential. What is its significance? [6]
- Q.5(a) Derive the Stern-Volmer equation for bimolecular quenching process. [6]
Q.5(b) Derive the rate equation for photochemical reaction between H_2 and Br_2 . [6]
- Q.6(a) Compute ΔS for the process $H_2O(l, -5^\circ C) = H_2O(s, -5^\circ C)$ Specific heat of water and ice over the temperature range is 1.0 and 0.5 cal deg⁻¹ g⁻¹ respectively and latent heat of fusion of ice 80 cal gm⁻¹ [6]
Q.6(b) 0.1 mole of mono-atomic gas with C_v independent of temperature is made to undergo a reversible cyclic process consisting of the following steps [6]
- State 1 (1 lit, 1 atm.) \longrightarrow State 2 (1 lit, 3 atm.)
State 2 \longrightarrow State 3 (2 lit, 3 atm.)
State 3 \longrightarrow State 4 (2 lit, 1 atm.)
State 4 \longrightarrow State 1
- Calculate Q, W and ΔU , for each step and for the complete cycle.
- Q.7(a) What is chemical potential? What is its physical significance? [6]
Two thermodynamic functions Y and Z are given as $Y = f(T, P, n_i)$ and $Z = f(T, P, X_i)$ where n_i and X_i represents mole number and mole fraction of 'i'th species, respectively. Identify Y and Z as extensive or intensive.
- Q.7(b) Calculate the expression for entropy change due to mixing of gases. [6]
Calculate the entropy of mixing of 2 moles of N_2 and 3 moles of H_2 behaving as ideal gases at constant T, P.